

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Catholic Church

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

October 24, 2010



St. Elizabeth Ann Seton - St. Henry Mass Schedule and Intentions

Monday, October 25,	6:30 AM:	James & Carol Gay and Family by Roger and Jackie Ford
Tuesday, October 26,	6:30 AM:	V.J. Roy RIP by Fr. Deering and the Parish Family
Wednesday, October 27,	6:30 AM:	In honor of Annette Sanders' birthday by Claude and Mary Bauer
Wednesday, October 27,	7:00 PM:	
Thursday, October 28,	6:30 AM:	Button Sweat LIV by Teri and Eddie Jones
Friday, October 29,	6:30 AM:	Betty Dempsey RIP by SEAS Ladies Altar Sodality
Saturday, October 30,	5:00 PM:	Donna Wallace LIV
St. Henry Sunday, October 31,	8:30 AM:	For the people of the parish
Sunday, October 31,	11:00 AM:	For the people of the parish

All Saints Day Mass Schedule

Mass at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton: Monday, 6:30 am and 6:30 pm.

Altar Flowers

The flowers on our altar this week are:

In memory of **Frank and Robert Slovensky** by the Slovensky Family.

RCIA takes place Tuesday evenings at 7:00 pm

Come and discover or relearn the Catholic faith!

Non-Catholics, fallen-away Catholics & active Catholics are all invited! Classes take place in our Parish Hall.



HALLOWEEN

XYZ MASS & LUNCHEON

This Monday, October 25th at 12 noon.

Menu consist of: Vegetable Soup and cornbread with mini corn dogs and grilled cheese sandwiches.

Everyone will receive a goodie bag.

Baby Bottle Program

Please return your filled bottles to the box in the back of the church, and there are extras if you would like to take another one. Money is due back the weekend of Oct. 30th and Oct. 31st.



ALL MEN - SAVE THE DATE

Thursday, October 28, 2010, 6- 8 P.M.

for a **Men's Cookout** at

Our Lady of the Valley Catholic Church

located at 5514 Double Oak Lane, Pelham.

Admission is free and open to men and youth, 16 and older.

Sponsored by The Highest Call Organization.

Featured speaker will be Dennis Krantz.

Contact Hank Stickleby at 402-0003 or John Cooper at 930-5108

for more information.

Our Bishop is coming to St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, **Thursday, November 4th** at 6:30 pm for the **Right to Life** meeting at our Parish Hall. Everyone is encourage to come. Please make every effort to be here!

“From the Pastor’s Desk”

How proud I am of the way you participate in Parish Life!

A fine example of this was the significant number of you who attended the **Her Choice Birmingham** Annual Banquet that was held last Tuesday at **The Club** Restaurant.

While **400** people attended that banquet from the Greater Birmingham area, **40** of them were from our two parishes! Yes, we made up one tenth of the people present! Thank you for your witness that we are Pro-Life.

This Banquet was just one of many opportunities to give financially to the great cause of saving babies from the threat of abortion. And as so often happens, each time we give, we receive even more.

The delightful meal and the friendships renewed were in addition to the inspirational talks given by 22 year old **Lila Rose**, a courageous and passionate advocate for life; by the woman who chose to give life to her baby after first considering abortion (thanks to the coaching and care she received at Her Choice!), and by the woman who decided on adoption in stead of abortion after seeing her developing baby inside her womb on a Her Choice Sonogram.

Yes, conversion is possible! Hearts are being changed! Thanks to the dedicated efforts of people working and volunteering to overcome the Culture of Death.

Let's continue to support **Her Choice Birmingham**, the only Pro-Life crisis pregnancy center in Birmingham, in the life-giving work that they do. Bringing your **Baby Bottles** back to Church with money inside by the end of October will provide great assistance to their cause.

I'm delighted that so many of you were able to attend your individual **Parish Appreciation Dinner**.

We've been holding these each fall for several years now as an opportunity to gather and thank God for the many blessings He has bestowed upon our 2 Parishes.

How wonderful it was to see every chair taken in our Parish Hall as so many of you came after Mass to share a meal and conversation with other members of the Parish.

I'm very grateful to our local **Jim n' Nick's Restaurant** for preparing, delivering, and serving the delicious BBQ meal that we so enjoyed. They even paid for the whole thing!

That's a sizeable gift to our Parish and I know that you'll want to demonstrate your appreciation by frequenting their restaurant and introducing yourself as a member of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church!

Yes, we have so very much to be grateful for here ... we have God and we have one another! Let's continue on the journey to the Kingdom of Heaven ... together.

Love, Father Deering

Please pray for our Parish Family in Nursing Homes or Homebound.

Rose Parks	Alvin Dempsey	Doris Piteo
Helen McCarty	Albert Billets	Stephen Edwards
Ann Driscoll		Annie Benefield

Our Long Term Care Book is located on the table at the side entry-way of the Church.

PRAY FOR OUR MILITARY: A list of our loved ones serving in the Military is posted on the bulletin board.

PARISH MEETINGS

PARISH COUNCIL

Mon., November 22, 6:30 pm

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

- **General Council, Wed., Nov. 3, 7:30pm**
- **Officers and Directors: Wed, Nov 17, 7:30 pm**
All Members are welcome.
- **Msgr. George W. Keyes Assembly #2849, Wed, Nov 17, 8:15 p.m.**

LADIES ALTAR SODALITY:

Monday, November 8, 6:30 pm

PRO LIFE MEETING Thursday, November 4, 6:30 pm. Bishop Baker will be our speaker.



Sunday!

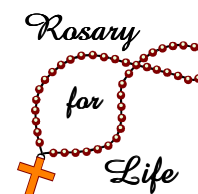
Youth/Family Night

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton, Sunday, Oct 24

All Youth and parents are invited.

PRAY WITH US

Join our Bishop Emeritus, **Most Rev. David E. Foley**, as we pray the **Rosary for Life on Saturday, October 30th** at **Planned Parenthood** from **10:00 a.m. until 11:00 a.m.**



Catholic Charities Pledge Cards -- Please Help!!

If you have not turned in your Catholic Charities pledge card, we **beg** you to do it as soon as possible. We have only received these cards from just over one-third of our parish. You may: (1) mail it to the parish office: 334 Main Street; Gardendale, AL 35071; (2) Drop it by the office before next weekend: Monday through Friday, 8:30 am-4:30 pm. (3) Call the office with your pledge amount or (4) Drop it in our collection basket. If you are unable to make a donation this year, we must still return your card to Catholic Charities. You may mark the card with a \$0. if you are unable to make a contribution.

We are required to telephone all those not returning a card so please help our office staff by taking a little time to turn your pledge card in today!

MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Upcoming **Adult Retreat** on

Friday, February 18th - Sunday, February 20, 2011 at **St. Bernard's Abbey** with **Fr. Mitch Pacwa** as Retreat Master.

More information to follow.

SEAS KIDS need your HELP!

PLEASE BRING ALUMINUM CANS !!

Bring your cans every week in plastic trash bags and leave them over the wall, between the two storage buildings, at the back of our Parish Hall. The money earned from recycling will go to educate our kids in Catholic Schools and our own PSR. Thank You!

Would you agree to prepare one meal on a Wednesday Nite for **High School PSR?** Please call the Church office, 631-9398, to let us know if you can help!

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church Website!

The Site Address is: www.seasgardendale.org

* From the Weekly Bulletin tab, our **Weekly Bulletin** may be viewed on Friday each week. It is in PDF format, just click to open the file! Also see Parish Meeting Schedule and Father's weekly "Pastor's Desk".

Be sure to remember our seminarians in your prayers. If you would like to send notes or cards to our seminarians; the address is:

Jim Handerhan or Beau McMinn
Notre Dame Seminary
2901 S. Carrollton Avenue
New Orleans, LA 70118

LAY MINISTER SCHEDULE

DATE	LECTOR	EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION	USHERS (Captain = C)
Sat Oct 30	Penny Vaughn	Annette Sanders David Slovensky Roy Brewer Diane Young	Shawn Holly C Robin Cox Brandon Vinning Donald Hand
Sun Oct 31	Ken Friedrich	Ken Friedrich Melissa Cameron Cindy Walker Jim Jernigan Andy Hollis Laura Hollis Donna Mealer Jim Fox	Allen Belrose C Joel Busby Anthony Bishop Jaimie Hand Roger Ford
Sat Nov 6	Roy Brewer	Roy Brewer Lilo Belton Paul Young Dianne Young	Frank Oldfield C Michael Belton Lamar Harris Raymond Vaughan
Sun Nov 7	Donna Mealer	Donna Mealer Caroline Gerson Vicky Gill Mary Margaret Rohling Michael Brasher Kelly Doss Jeanne Busby Allen Belrose	Michael Wallace Thom Duran Frank Rohling Rod Cameron Neal Brasher

If you are unable to serve your turn, please ask someone to exchange dates with you. Thank you.